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TO AMEMBASSY KATHMANDU

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SUBJECT: SMITHSONIAN PURCHASE OF TANTRIC BONES

REFERENCE: KATHMANDU 1020 AND 3354

1. SMITHSONIAN REQUESTS EMBASSY PURCHASE TANTRIC BONES FOR 1,500 DOLLARS.
2. SECRETARY RIPLEY REQUESTS DCM ATTEMPT SECURE FULL DOCUMENTATION OF ITEM.
3. SEND AIR FREIGHT TO DULLES INTERNATIONAL, WASHINGTON, CONSIGNED TO DIRECTOR, NATIONAL MUSEUM OF NATURAL HISTORY, SMITHSONIAN.
4. SHIP COLLECT REPEAT COLLECT FOR CONVERSION TO GOVERNMENT BILL OF LADING AT DESTINATION.

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5. CHARGE PURCHASE COST, HANDLING AND PACKING TO

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